



Open Space Committee

Date: Thurs, February 25, 2021

Time: 7:30pm

Location: Conducted by Remote Participation

Register in advance for this meeting:

https://town-arlington-ma-us.zoom.us/meeting/register/tJEtf-GvqzorGN1Wa_zR7cy_iOmzzSJjeZr0

After registering, you will receive a confirmation email containing information about joining the meeting.

Agenda

1. Review/approve 1/28/2021 Minutes (Emily Sullivan)

2. Open Space and Recreation Plan 2022-2029 Update

- a. Review January meeting discussions with Horsley Witten consultants for general comments and feedback
- b. Review and discuss three specific items and provide new information to the consultants: Ch 9 Action Plan table, list of previous and current surveys and reports, and list of town departments and committees with contact information

3. CPA Projects in process and next round of applications for FY2022

- a. CPA review is ongoing; report and recommendations due in March

4. 40B comprehensive permit applications

- a. Thorndike Place (Mugar) ZBA hearings continue
- b. ZBA hearings for 1165R Mass Ave (Mirak) began on Feb 23

5. Other news

- a. 2021 Massachusetts & Rhode Island Land Conservation Conference

Friday-Saturday, March 19-20 <https://www.accelevents.com/e/MARILandConf>

- b. 2021 Open Space Conference

This free, peer-to-peer conference provides tools and resources for Open Space Committees, volunteers, and others

- March 4 | Open Space - From Planning to Implementation
- March 11 | Protecting and Building Resilience in Local Green Spaces
- March 18 | How to Build and Maintain Trails and Increase Recreation
- March 25th | Community Engagement for Open Space Committees
- <https://massopenspaceconference.wordpress.com/conference-program-and-schedule/>

- c. Other news or updates

6. Adjourn

2021 Meeting Dates (usually 4th Thursday of the month but note exceptions): March 25, April 29 (due to school vacation), May 27, June 24, July 22, August 26, September 23, October 28, November 11, December 9 (due to holidays)